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- On 8 October elements of the Nationalist 7, 27, and 35 Columns, on the motor junks HSIN HO ($\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$) and HAI CHIAO ($\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$) engaged in a three-hour battle near the mouth of the Ou River (121- $\frac{1}{2}$ 28-) with eight Chinese Communist motor junks of the Wenchou Military Sub-District. Two Communist junks were sunk and one went aground. The Nationalist guerrillas suffered no losses.
- 2. On 10 October 500 troops of the Chinese Communist 310 Regiment in the Sungmen (121-36, 28-22) area, in 40 motor junks, attacked Peichiangshan (121-40, 28-27), where 300 Nationalist guerrillas were based. Farly in the morning of 11 October, 100 Chinese Communist reinforcements arrived at Peichiangshan from Sungmen, and shortly thereafter all Nationalist guerrillas withdrew to the Tachen Islands. By 2 p.m. on 11 October all Chinese Communist troops also left Peichiangshan and returned to Sungmen.
- On 10 October 1,000 Chinese Communist troops invaded Peichiangshan from the Sungmen area. In the ensuing battle 400 Communists were killed or wounded; 200 members of the Nationalist 36 Independent Column and 100 civilians were also killed or wounded.
- In accordance with a recent order by Communist authorities in Chekiang, no Chirese Communist newspapers or magazines are permitted to be sent from the mainland to the coastal islands.

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